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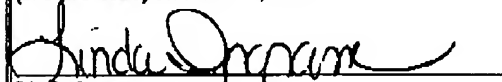
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Sir:

COMMENT ON STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

Applicant acknowledges receipt of the Notice of Allowance mailed on January 18, 2007. The Notice of Allowance was accompanied by a Notice of Allowability (Form PTOL-37) Page 2 of the Notice of Allowability sets forth a statement by the Examiner of a reason for allowing the claims. Applicant agrees that the claims recite allowable subject matter. However, Applicants do not agree in all respects with the stated reason for allowance. For example, Applicants do not agree with the stated reason to the extent that it uses terminology and/or language that differs from the specific terminology and language selected for use in Applicants' claims. Applicants believe that the scope and interpretation of the claims should be centered around the terminology and language of the claims themselves, rather than language selected by the Examiner in an attempt to paraphrase the claims. Moreover, Applicants respectfully submit that the stated reason should not be interpreted to mean that it is the only reason supporting the

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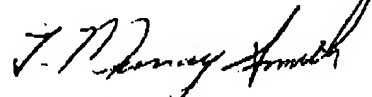
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allowability of the claims, and that there are no other reasons that separately and independently support the allowability of the independent claims and/or the dependent claims.

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